said semiconductor element mounted on said principal surface,

wherein said mounting member is an optical waveguide for guiding light emitted from said optical element or light admitted to said optical element.

4. (Thrice Amended) An optical module comprising:

an optical element for emitting or admitting light;

an optical waveguide entirely made of glass, having a core and a cladding formed therein and having a principal surface, with said optical element mounted on said principal surface, for guiding light emitted from said optical element or light admitted to said optical element; and

a semiconductor element driving said optical element,

said sepiconductor element mounted on said principal surface.

(Amended) The optical module as defined in claim 4,
wherein said optical element and said semiconductor element are integrally sealed with a resin.

8. (Amended) The optical module as defined in claim 5, wherein said optical element and said semiconductor element are integrally sealed with a resin.

9. (Amended) The optical module as defined in claim 6, wherein said optical element and said semiconductor element are integrally sealed

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(Thrice Amended) An optical module comprising.

an optical element;

a mounting member, said mounting member entirely made of glass and having a core and a cladding formed therein to have a function of an optical waveguide for guiding light emitted from said optical element or light admitted to said optical element, said